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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Braun et al.

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For: METHOD FOR GOLD DEPOSITION

**AMENDMENT UNDER  
37 C.F.R. 1.312  
EXAMINING GROUP  
1641**

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.312(a)**

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Applicants are paying the issue fee in the above-identified application simultaneously herewith. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.**

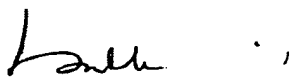
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<b>Response to Rule 312 Communication</b>	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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1.  The amendment filed on 21 December 2005 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a)  entered.
- b)  entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c)  disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.  
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
- d)  disapproved. See explanation below.
- e)  entered in part. See explanation below.

  
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